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Case #F7575(V)

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Applicant: Bodor et al.

Serial No.: 10/046,470

Filed: November 20, 2001

For: FOOD PRODUCT COMPRISING CAROTENOIDS

Edgewater, New Jersey 07020  
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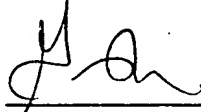
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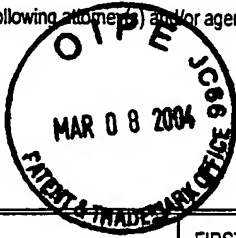
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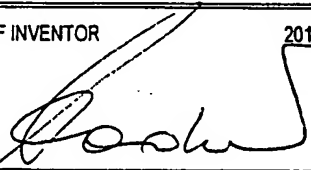
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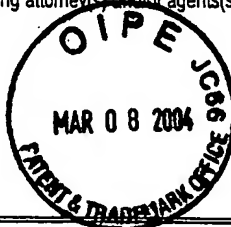
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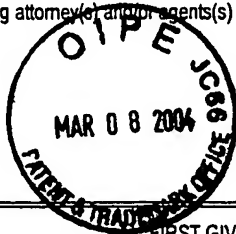
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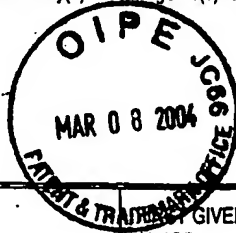
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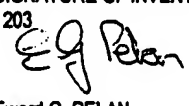
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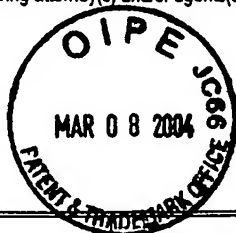
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